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Introduction

This book, consisting of thirty Litanies, is compiled to meet a definite need in the Church. So far as we know, no such collection has been published since the one brought out in England by the Rev. Canon Carter over fifty years ago, which has long since been out of print.

The character of any of these Litanies can readily be changed from that of petition and supplication to that of praise and thanksgiving by a simple substitution in the response. In the Litany of the Holy Name, for example, after each invocation, instead of saying, "Have mercy upon us," say "Praise the Most High God for us."

It must be remembered that it is a sign of a grave spiritual lack when our devotions never get beyond the stereotyped phrase that lies upon the printed page. In congregational use, of course, this adherence to the prepared form is necessary in order to avoid disedifying confusion, but in private prayer everyone should seek, under the Spirit's guidance, to expand to the utmost his devotional powers, expressing himself freely, according to his own temperament and aspirations. These methods may be subjected to unlimited change, as new desires and aspirations arise, and fresh and varied impulses of love and devotion are infused into the heart by the Spirit's touch.

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Litany of the Holy Trinity

Lord have mercy upon us,
Christ have mercy upon us,
Lord have mercy upon us.

Blessed Trinity hear us.
Adorable Unity, graciously hear us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Father, from Whom are all things,
Son, through Whom are all things,
Holy Ghost, by Whom are all things,
Holy, Undivided Trinity,
Trinity in Unity, passing all understanding,
Father everlasting,
Only-begotten Son of the Father,
Spirit, proceeding from the Father and the Son,
Co-eternal Majesty of Three Divine Persons,
Father, the Creator,
Son, the Redeemer,
Holy Ghost, the Comforter.

Have mercy upon us.

Be merciful,
Spare us, O Holy Trinity,
Be merciful,
Graciously hear us, O Holy Trinity.

From all evil,
From all sin,
From the love of riches,
From pride,
From uncleanness,
From sloth,
From inordinate affections,
From envy and malice,
From anger and impatience,
From everlasting death,
By Thy Almighty Power,
By Thy plenteous Lovingkindness,
By Thy Goodness and Love,
By Thy Wisdom and Longsuffering,
By Thy unspeakable Perfection.

Deliver us, Holy Trinity.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, That we may worship Thee in spirit and in truth,
That we may love Thee with all our heart, and with all our strength,
That we may faithfully keep Thy commandments,
That we may go from grace to grace, and from virtue to virtue,
That we may finally enjoy the sight of Thee in glory,
That Thou wouldest vouchsafe to hear us,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

O Blessed Trinity,
We beseech Thee to hear us,
O Blessed Trinity,
We beseech Thee to save us,
O Blessed Trinity,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

We adore Thee, most Holy Trinity, we worship Thee, and thank Thee that Thou hast revealed to us this glorious Mystery. Grant, we beseech Thee, that persevering in this Faith, and loving Thee above all things, we may see Thee and glorify Thee eternally, Whom we confess here, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, one God in Three Persons, Blessed for evermore. *Amen.*

Litany of God the Father

Lord have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord have mercy upon us.

O God the Father of Heaven,
O God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
O God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Our Father, Who art in Heaven,
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
Who comfortest us in all our tribulation,
The Father Everlasting,
The Father, of Whom are all things,
The Father of glory, and Lord of Heaven and earth,
Who givest Thy Holy Spirit to them that ask Thee,
Who forgivest us our trespasses,
The Father of Lights, from Whom every good gift and every perfect gift cometh down,
The Father Who seest in secret.

Have mercy upon us.

Who sparedst not Thine own Son, but hast delivered Him up for us all,
Who hast translated us into the Kingdom of the Son of Thy love,
Who didst so love the world, that Thou gavest Thine Only-Begotten Son,
Who has bestowed such love upon us, that we should be called the Sons of God.

Have mercy upon us.

From all evil,
From the power of Satan,
From anger, hatred, and all ill-will,
From the peril of sin,
From eternal death.

Deliver us, O Lord.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, O God,
That Thy Name may be always hallowed,
That Thy Kingdom may come to us,
That Thy Will may be ever done in us, as in Heaven so in earth,
That Thou wouldst give us our daily bread,
That Thou wouldst mercifully forgive us our trespasses,
That Thou wouldst deliver us from all temptations,
That Thou wouldst deliver us from all evil.

We beseech Thee to hear us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O Almighty, Everlasting God, order our doings in Thy good pleasure, that in the Name of Thy Beloved Son, we may obtain grace to abound in all good works; Through the same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of God the Son

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

O God, the Father of Heaven,
O God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
O God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
O Word of the Lord,
The Only-Begotten Son of God,
The Beloved Son of God,
Our Saviour, Christ the Lord,
Son of Mary,
In Whom are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge,
In Whom dwelleth all the fullness of the Godhead bodily,
High Priest for ever after the order of Melchizedec,
High Priest of good things to come,
Head of Thy Body the Church,
Messiah, the Desire of all nations,
Anointed by the Lord with the Holy Ghost, and with power.

Have mercy upon us.

Fairer than the children of men.
The Way, the Truth, and the Life,
The true Vine whereof we are branches,
The Door of the sheep,
The Hidden Manna,
The Living and True Bread, which came down from Heaven,
Who hast loved us, and washed us from our sins in Thine own Blood,
Upon Whom God hath laid the iniquity of us all,
Who purchased a Church with Thine own Blood,
To Whom all power is given in Heaven and in earth,
Who didst ascend up far above all heavens,
Who sittest at the Right Hand of the Majesty on High,
By Whom we have access unto the Father.

Have mercy upon us.

By Thy holy Life and Conversation,
By Thy most bitter Death and Passion,
By Thy glorious Resurrection and Ascension,
By Thy Coming to Judgment.

Deliver us, O Lord.

We sinners beseech Thee, to hear us,
That when we ask the Father in Thy Name, we may, according to Thy promise, have grace to be heard,
That all things whatsoever we would that men should do unto us, we may do to them,
That leaving the broad way that leadeth to destruction, we may all strive to enter in at the strait gate which leadeth unto life,

Hear us, O Lord.

That we may gladly and willingly take upon us Thy easy yoke and Thy light burden,
That being uncertain of the hour of our death and of Thy coming, we may study to be watchful and prepared,
That we may prepare ourselves to give an account of our stewardship,

Hear us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world.

Spare us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world.

Hear us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world.

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

We beseech Thee, O Lord, pour Thy grace into our hearts; that, as we have known the Incarnation of Thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an Angel, so by His Cross and Passion we may be brought unto the glory of His Resurrection; Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of the Advent of the Lord

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

O God the Father,
O God the Son,
O God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God.

Have mercy upon us.

From the world, the flesh, and the devil;
From impenitence, unbelief, and neglect of Thy holy commandments;
From Thy wrath, both here and in the world to come;
From a slumbering conscience, and from an unprepared death;
By Thy first coming in lowliness;
By Thy Passion and most Precious Death;
By Thy intercession before the Father;
By Thy second Coming in Thy glorious majesty;
By the consolation of God the Holy Ghost;
In our day of sorrow and tribulation;
In our last sickness and in the hour of death,
In Thine awful Judgment, when the last sentence is pronounced,

Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners do beseech Thee, to hear us, That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to us true repentance,
That Thou wouldst enable us to bear all our trials patiently,
That Thou wouldst defend and govern Thy Holy Church, especially in this land;
That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to us, unity, peace and concord;
That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to the afflicted and suffering Thy merciful aid and deliverance;
That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to all the faithful departed, perpetual light;
That Thou wouldst continually exalt our minds to heavenly desires;
That we may be more and more conformed to Thy holy will;
That being uncertain of the hour of our death, we may study to be watchful, and prepared to give an account of our stewardship;

We beseech Thee to hear us, Good Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

Almighty God, give us grace that we may cast away the works of darkness, and put upon us the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which Thy Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when He shall come again in His glorious majesty to judge both the quick and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal, through Him who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, now and ever. *Amen.*

Litany of the Holy Name of Jesus

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Jesu, Son of the Living God.
} *Have mercy upon us.*

Jesu, most mighty,
Jesu, most powerful,
Jesu, most perfect,
Jesu, most glorious,
Jesu, most wonderful,
Jesu, most dear,
Jesu, brighter than the sun,
Jesu, fairer than the moon,
Jesu, most admirable,
Jesu, most delectable,
Jesu, most honourable,
Jesu, most humble,
Jesu, most poor,
Jesu, most gentle,
Jesu, most patient,
Jesu, most obedient,
Jesu, most chaste,
Jesu, Lover of chastity,
Jesu, Lover of peace,
Jesu, Mirror of sanctity,
Jesu, Pattern of virtues,
Jesu, Lover of souls,
Jesu, our Refuge,
Jesu, Father of the poor,
Jesu, Consolation of the afflicted,
Jesu, Treasure of the faithful,
Jesu, precious Gem,
Jesu, Shrine of perfection,
Jesu, Good Shepherd of the sheep,
Jesu, true Light,
Jesu, Eternal Wisdom,
Jesu, Infinite Goodness,
Jesu, Joy of the Angels,
Jesu, King of the Patriarchs,
Jesu, Theme of the Prophets,
Jesu, Master of the Apostles,

Have mercy upon us.

Jesu, Teacher of the Evangelists,
Jesu, Strength of the Martyrs,
Jesu, Light of the Confessors,
Jesu, Bridegroom of Virgins,
Jesu, Crown of all Saints,

Have mercy upon us.

Be merciful.
Spare us, Jesu.
Be merciful.
Hear us, Jesu.

From all evil,
From all peril,
From Thy wrath,
From the snares of the devil,
From plague, famine, and war,
From the transgression of Thy commandments,
By Thine Incarnation,
By Thine Advent,
By Thy Nativity,
By Thy Circumcision,
By Thy Woes,
By Thy Scourging,
By Thy Death,
By Thy Resurrection,
By Thine Ascension,
By Thy Joys,
By Thy Glory,

Deliver us, Jesu.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, Jesu.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, Jesu.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us, Jesu.

Blessed be the Name of the Lord,
From this time forth for evermore.
O Lord, hear our prayer,
And let our cry come unto Thee.
The Lord be with you,
And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

O God, Who hast appointed Thine only-begotten Son the Saviour of mankind, and hast commanded that He should be called Jesus; mercifully grant that we may enjoy His happy vision in Heaven, Whose holy Name we love and praise upon earth, through His merits, Who with Thee and the Holy Ghost liveth and reigneth, God, world without end. *Amen.*

The Blessing.

The Lord gives us His peace, and Life Eternal.
Amen.

Litany of the Holy Childhood

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Blessed Jesus Very God and Very Man,
Jesus, sent of the Father,
Jesus, conceived in the Virgin's womb,
Jesus, adored by Thy Mother,
} *Have mercy upon us.*

Jesus, wrapped in swaddling-clothes,
Jesus, cradled in a manger,
Jesus, worshipped by the shepherds,
Jesus, adored by the Magi,
Jesus, fed at Mary's breast,
Jesus, nursed in Joseph's arms,
Jesus, yielding to the law of circumcision,
Jesus, presented in the Temple,
Jesus, persecuted by Herod,
Jesus, exiled into Egypt,
Jesus, brought up at Nazareth,
Jesus, lost for three days,
Jesus, found in the Temple,
Jesus, subject to Mary and Joseph,
Jesus, working as a carpenter,

Have mercy upon us.

Be merciful.
Spare us, O Lord.
Be merciful.
Graciously hear us, O Lord.

By the Mystery of Thy Holy Incarnation,
By Thy sobs and tears,
By Thy hunger and cold,
By Thy Name of Jesus,
By the Oblation of Thyself in the arms of Simeon,
By Thy suffering in Egypt,
By Thy hidden life at Nazareth,
By Thy lowly conversation in the world,

O Lord deliver us.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O Lord Jesus, Who didst so divest Thyself of the glory of Thy Divinity as to be born in time, and to become a little Child; grant that acknowledging Infinite Wisdom in childlike simplicity we may behold Thy glories in Heaven, Who with the Father and the Holy Ghost livest and reignest, God forever and ever. *Amen.*

Litany of the Passion

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Jesu, instituting the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar,
Jesu, sold for thirty pieces of silver,
Jesu, betrayed by a kiss,
Jesu, taken before Annas and Caiaphas,
Jesu, judged worthy of death,
Jesu, spit upon, blindfolded, and struck with blows,
Jesu, hated without cause,
Jesu, thrice denied by Thine Apostle,
Jesu, rejected for a murderer,
Jesu, condemned to death by Pilate,
Jesu, bruised and scourged for our iniquities,
Jesu, mocked and set at nought by Herod,

Have mercy upon us.

Jesu, laden with the Cross and led to Calvary,
Jesu, nailed to the Cross,
Jesu, raised up on the Cross,
Jesu, obedient unto death, even the death of the Cross,
Jesu, bearing our sins in Thine own Body on the Tree,
Jesu, by Whose stripes we are healed,

Have mercy upon us.

From all evil,
From unbelief and hardness of heart,
From any denial of Thee,
From sloth, unwatchfulness, and deadness of heart,
By Thine Agony and Bloody Sweat,
By Thy buffetings and stripes,
By Thy Crown of Thorns,
By Thy Cross and Passion,
By Thy thirst, tears, and nakedness,
By Thy Sacred Wounds,
By Thy most precious Blood-shedding,
By the anguish of Thy Heart upon the Cross,
By Thy last exceeding great and bitter cry,
By Thy most precious Death,
By Thy Burial and descent into hell,

Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, That we may die unto sin and live unto holiness,
That we may take up our cross daily and follow Thee,
That we may perfectly know Thee the Crucified,
That we may never crucify Thee afresh,
That being made partakers of Thy Sufferings, we may be also of Thy consolations,

We beseech Thee to hear us, Good Lord.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

The Lord be with you,
And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

O Lord Jesus Christ, our merciful High Priest, who didst offer to the Father a pure offering, to reconcile sinners unto God by the infinite merits of Thy life, Thy Passion, and Thy Death; give us grace, we beseech Thee, to die to the world, and live to Thee alone, and finally depart in peace, through Thy merits, Who livest and reignest with the Father, in the Unity of the Holy Ghost, God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Blessing.

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ bring us to the joys of Everlasting Life. *Amen.*

Litany of the Precious Blood

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God.

Have mercy upon us.

Precious Blood of Jesus Christ,
Blood of the New Testament,
Price of our Redemption,
Fountain of divine grace,
Source of eternal life,
Reparation for our sins,
Pledge of everlasting happiness,
Purification of our souls,
Healing Balm for our wounds,
Remission of our sins,
Infinite Ransom paid for our souls,
Hope of the poor,
Solace of the afflicted,
Support of the weak,
Joy of the just,
Refuge for all Christians,
Light of all Angels,
King of Patriarchs,
Desire of Prophets,
Strength of Apostles,
Hope of Martyrs,
Justification of Confessors,
Sanctification of Virgins,
Crown of the Blessed,

Wash us, O Sacred Blood.

From all evil,
From all pride and vanity,
From all envy and ill-will,
From all uncleanness and gluttony,
From all sloth,
From eternal damnation,
Through the Precious Blood which Thou didst shed in Thy Circumcision,

Jesus, deliver us.

Through the Precious Blood Thou didst shed on Mount Olivet,
Through the Precious Blood Thou didst shed at Thy Scourging,
Through the Precious Blood Thou didst shed at thy crowning with thorns,
Through the Precious Blood Thou didst shed on the road to Calvary,
Through the Precious Blood Thou didst shed when Thou wert nailed to the Cross,
Through the Precious Blood Thou didst shed when Thy Sacred Heart was pierced,
Through the same Precious Blood which is daily consecrated in the Holy Sacrifice of the Altar,

Jesus, deliver us.

We sinners beseech Thee, to hear us, that Thou wouldst spare us,
That Thou wouldst pardon us,
That Thou wouldst give us true repentance for our sins,
That through Thy Precious Blood Thou wouldst assist us in our last agony,
That through It Thou mayest refresh the departed,
That through It Thou mayest show mercy to all,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O most merciful Redeemer; through the price of Thy Precious Blood and through the merits of Thy bitter Passion and Death, purify our souls from all stain of sin, and grant that we, ever increasing in gratitude and love towards Thee, may become more fervent in seeking purity of heart, and may at the last be counted worthy to enter into that inheritance which Thou hast purchased for us with Thy Precious Blood, who livest and reignest God, world without end. *Amen.*

Litany of the Tears of Jesus

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

O God the Father, of Heaven,
O God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
O God the Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the faithful,
O Holy Trinity, Three Persons and One God,
Jesus, the Man of Sorrows,
By the tears that Thou didst shed in Thy infancy,
By the tears Thou didst shed amidst Thy toils in Nazareth,
By the tears Thou didst shed in prayer at the sight of our sins,
By the tears Thou didst offer to Thy Eternal Father on our behalf,
By the tears Thou didst shed over Jerusalem,

Have mercy upon us.

By the tears Thou didst shed at the grave of Lazarus,
By the tears of compassion for the sorrowful,
By Thy strong crying and tears in the Agony in the garden,
By the tears the torments of Thy Passion drew from Thee,

Have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O Almighty Father, we offer Thee the Sacred Tears shed by our Lord Jesus Christ, beseeching Thee, for their sake, to have mercy on the world, and by the power of Thy love to bring all poor sinners to Thy feet. Through the same Jesus Christ Thy Son our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,

Have mercy upon us.

Heart of Jesus, dwelling in solitude,
Heart of Jesus, enclosed in the womb of Mary,
Heart of Jesus, reposing in the bosom of the Father,
Heart of Jesus, lover of retirement,
Heart of Jesus, heaven of repose,
Heart of Jesus, ever watching over Thy elect,
Heart of Jesus, detached from the world,
Heart of Jesus, passing whole nights in prayer,
Heart of Jesus, absorbed in contemplation,
Heart of Jesus, adoring the Father in spirit and in truth,
Heart of Jesus, raised above temptations,
Heart of Jesus, inflamed with love,
Heart of Jesus, delight of those in solitude,
Heart of Jesus, speaking to the solitary heart,
Heart of Jesus, revealing Thy secrets to those living apart from the world,
Heart of Jesus, strength of the solitary,
Heart of Jesus, refuge of the solitary,
Heart of Jesus, sweet refreshment of the solitary,
Heart of Jesus, uniting Thyself to the solitary heart,
Heart of Jesus, peacefully reigning in the solitary heart,

Have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.
I will lead the soul into solitude,
And there I will speak to her heart.

Let us pray.

Adorable Saviour, Who didst love solitude, we beseech Thee to inspire our hearts with the love of retirement; so that, withdrawn from the tumult of the world, we may hear the sweetness of Thy voice in the silence of creatures, and faithfully correspond with the whisperings of Thy heart and the inspirations of Thy Love; Who livest and reignest, God world without end. *Amen.*

Litany of the Resurrection

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Jesus, Redeemer of mankind,
Jesus, the Resurrection and the Life,
Jesus, Conqueror of sin and death,
Jesus, the Second Adam,
Jesus, Author of Life,
Jesus, bringing Life and Immortality to light,
Jesus, appearing to Mary Magdalene,
Have mercy upon us.

Jesus, speaking peace to the Eleven,
Jesus, breathing on Thy Apostles,
Jesus, confirming the faith of Thomas,
Jesus, commissioning Peter to feed Thy sheep,
Jesus, conversing with Thy Disciples on the mountain of Galilee,
Jesus, seen of more than five hundred brethren at once,
Jesus, seen of James,
Jesus, going in and out among Thy Apostles,
Jesus, leading them out to Bethany,
Jesus, carried up to Heaven,
Jesus, Who shall come again to judge the quick and the dead,

Have mercy upon us.

We beseech Thee to hear us, That we may put off the old man with his deeds,
That we may walk in newness of life,
That we may live to Thee alone,
That our life may be hidden in Thee,
That we may persevere unto the end,
That rising with Thee, we may sin no more,
That we may attain to the Resurrection of the just,
That we may behold Thy face with joy,
That we may be placed at Thy Right Hand,
That Thou wouldst give rest to the Faithful Departed,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Grant us Thy peace.

Let us pray.

O God, Who by Thy only-begotten Son hast opened the passage to Eternity through His Victory over death; vouchsafe, we beseech Thee, so to confirm us by Thy grace, that we may walk in all our ways like those who have been redeemed from sin, through the Same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the Unity of the Holy Ghost, God forever and ever. *Amen.*

Litany of Jesus Glorified

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

O God, the Father of Heaven,
O God, the Son, Redeemer of the world,
O God, the Holy Ghost, the Comforter,
Holy Trinity, Three Persons and One God,
Jesus, King of glory,
Jesus, Lord and Christ,
Jesus, the King of Kings and Lord of Lords,
Jesus, Who didst ascend up far above all Heavens,
Jesus, Who leddest captivity captive, and gavest gifts unto men,
Jesus, at Whose Name every knee must bow,
Jesus, unto Whom all power is given in Heaven and in earth,
Jesus, Who in Thy sacred manhood art crowned with glory and honour at the right Hand of the Majesty on high,

Have mercy upon us.

Jesus, adored by the Angels,
Jesus, anointed with the oil of gladness above Thy fellows,
Jesus, Who hast opened the Kingdom of Heaven to all believers,
Jesus, the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world,
Jesus, pleading Thy Precious Blood before the Father both in Heaven and in the Holy Sacrament of the Altar,
Jesus, Who didst send down Thy Holy Ghost on Thy Disciples,
Jesus, Who art gone up into Heaven, and yet art present with us in the Sacrament of the Altar,
Jesus, Who wilt come again in glory to judge the world,
Jesus, Who wilt receive Thine own unto Thyself,

Have mercy upon us.

We sinners do beseech Thee, to hear us, O Lord Jesus, that we may set our affections on things above,
That keeping Thy commandments, we may abide in Thy love,
That through the power of the Comforter Thou wouldst abide with us,
That as Thou and the Father art One, so we may be one in Thee,
That Thou wouldst quicken the whole Body of Thy Church by the power of Thy Holy Ghost,
That Thou wouldst endue the Clergy with the Spirit of power and love,
That Thou wouldst preserve Thy Church from the power of the world, and from all her enemies,

Hear us, Good Lord.

That Thou wouldst give to Thy Church, unity and peace, and every needful means to do her proper work,
That Thou wouldst shortly accomplish the number of Thine Elect and hasten Thy kingdom,

Hear us, Good Lord.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

Assist us mercifully, O Lord, in these our supplications: and grant, that like as we do believe the Saviour of mankind to be seated with Thee in Thy Majesty, so we may feel that He abideth with us, according to His promise, even unto the end of the world; Through the Same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of the Holy Ghost

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, hear us.

O Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Holy Ghost, proceeding from the Father and the Son,
Holy Ghost, Co-equal with the Father and the Son,
Promise of the Father,
Gift of the Most High God,
Ray of Heavenly Light,
Author of all good,
Source of Living Water,
Burning Love,
Spirit of Truth and Power,
Spirit of Wisdom and Understanding,
Spirit of Counsel and Might,
Spirit of Knowledge and Piety,
Spirit of the Fear of the Lord,
Spirit of Compunction and Repentance,
Spirit of Grace and Prayer,
Spirit of Love, Joy and Peace,
Spirit of Patience, Long-suffering and Gentleness,
Spirit of Mildness and Faith,
Spirit of Modesty, Purity and Chastity,
Spirit of Adoption of the Sons of God,
Holy Ghost, the Comforter,
Holy Ghost, the Sanctifier,
Who in the beginning didst move over the waters,
Who didst inspire the holy men of old,
Who didst overshadow the Blessed Virgin,
Who didst give her power to conceive the Son of God,
Who didst appear at the Baptism of Jesus,
Who didst descend upon the Apostles on the Day of Pentecost,

Have mercy upon us.

Who dwellest in us,
Who governest the Church,
Who fillest the whole world,

Have mercy upon us.

Holy Ghost, we beseech Thee to hear us, That
Thou wouldest renew the face of the earth,
That Thou wouldest shed Thy Light in our hearts,
That Thou wouldest inflame us with Thy Love,
That Thou wouldest open to us the Treasures of Thy Grace,
That Thou wouldest enlighten us with Thy Inspirations,
That Thou wouldest make us obedient to Thy Inspirations,
That Thou wouldest help us to love and bear with each other,
That Thou wouldest teach us to pray and Thyself pray within us,
That Thou wouldest cause us to persevere in righteousness,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Pour out Thy Holy Spirit upon us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Send down Thy Holy Spirit upon us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Grant to us Thy Holy Spirit.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

Create in us a clean heart, O God.

And renew a right spirit within us.

Let us pray.

Grant, O Merciful Father, that Thy Divine Spirit may enlighten, inflame, and cleanse our hearts, that His indwelling Presence may fill us, and make us fruitful in good works, through Jesus Christ Thy Son our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the Unity of the Holy Ghost, God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Blessing.

The Grace of the Holy Spirit enlighten our hearts and senses. *Amen.*

Litany of the Church

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

O God the Father of Heaven,
O God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
O God the Holy Ghost,
O Holy Trinity, One God,
O God, Eternal Father, Who didst choose the Church of Thine Elect before the foundation of the world,
O God, Who on the fall of man didst promise redemption through Thine only-begotten Son,
O God, Who leddest Thy people like sheep by the hand of Moses and Aaron,
O God, Who in the fulness of time didst send Thy Son to be the anointed Prophet, Priest, and King of Thy people, Israel,
O God, Who by the Cross didst bring both Jew and Gentile into Thy One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church,

Have mercy upon us.

O Jesus, Who hast built Thy Church on the foundation of Thy Holy Apostles and Prophets,
O Jesus, calling Thy Church Thy Bride,
O Jesus, Who in the last great manifestation of Thyself wilt come to deliver Thy Church,
O Jesus, Who hast comforted us with the promised glory of the Church Triumphant,

Have mercy upon us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord Jesus, that as Thou hast promised to avenge Thine Own Elect, Thou wilt hear us when we call upon Thee,
That Thou wouldest pour down plenteously Thy Holy Ghost upon Thy Church,
That Thou wouldest endue the clergy with the spirit of power and love,
That Thou wouldest vouchsafe unto all Thy people a right apprehension of Christian truth,
That Thou wouldest give unto all Christians a right understanding of the grace of the Apostolic Ministry, and of the blessed efficacy of Thy Sacraments,
That Thou wouldest bring back all separatists to the one Communion of Thy Holy Church,
That Thou wouldest vouchsafe unto her the long-desired restoration of her godly discipline,
That Thou wouldest richly bless the divided portions of Catholic Christendom, and remove all hindrances to a perfect reunion,
That Thou wouldest speedily bring this great nation to the knowledge and love of Thy Truth,

We beseech Thee to hear us, Good Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

Almighty and Everlasting God, Who in Christ hast manifested forth Thy glory unto all nations: preserve that which Thy mercy hath wrought, and grant that Thy Church being spread throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of Thy Name; through the Same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of the Blessed Sacrament

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father,
God the Son,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Blessed Jesus, God and Man,
Jesu, Whom the Heavens cannot contain, yet art really present on our Altars,

Have mercy upon us.

Jesu, adored by the Heavenly Hosts, yet accepting our praises,
Jesu, veiling Thy Majesty, that we may draw nigh to Thee,
Jesu, Bread of Life, Whom whoso eateth lives for ever,
Jesu, Good Shepherd, laying down Thy Life for Thy sheep,
Jesu, giving us Thine own Flesh and Blood, under the forms of bread and wine,
Jesu, becoming one with us in this Holy Sacrament,
Jesu, Thyself both Priest and Sacrifice,

Have mercy upon us.

Have mercy, O Lord,
And pardon our sins.
Have mercy, O Lord,
And renew our souls.

From measuring Thy Omnipotence by our weak understanding,
From doubts, distractions, and irreverence,
From unworthy and unfruitful receiving,
From coldness, hardness of heart, and ingratitude,
By Thy Blessed Body, really present in the Holy Communion,
By Thy Precious Blood, really present in the Cup of Blessing,

Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, that we may believe all Thy Truths revealed to us,
That we may acknowledge our absolute subjection to Thy Will,
That we may thankfully adore Thy Goodness,

Hear us, O Lord.

That we may gratefully respond to Thy gracious invitations,
That we may approach this ineffable Mystery in perfect charity with all the world,
That receiving Thy most Sacred Body and Blood, our souls may dissolve in reverence and love,
That returning from this Great Sacrament, our hearts may continue recollected in Thee,
That we may be healed of all infirmities, and strengthened against all relapses,
That as we now adore Thee veiled in Mystery, we may hereafter see Thee Face to face,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O God, Who in this wonderful Sacrament hast left us a Memorial of Thy Passion; grant us, we beseech Thee, so to venerate the Sacred Mysteries of Thy Body and Blood, that we may ever perceive within ourselves the fruit of Thy Redemption, Who livest and reignest with the Father, in the Unity of the Holy Ghost, God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Litany of Reparation to the Blessed Sacrament

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, one God,
Sacred Victim, offered for the sins of the world,
Sacred Victim, consumed on the altar by us and for us,
Sacred Victim, outraged by the blasphemies of sinful men,
Sacred Victim, neglected and abandoned in Thine own dear Sacrament,

Have mercy upon us.

Be merciful.
Spare us, O Lord.
Be merciful.
Hear us, O Lord.

For so many unworthy Communions,
For the great irreverence of Christians,
For the continual blasphemies of the impious,
For the carelessness and neglect of Priests and people,
For the unbelief of those who discern Thee not,

We offer, O Lord, our reparation.

We beseech Thee to hear us.

We beseech Thee to hear us, Good Lord, that Thou wouldest have mercy upon us, and spare us,

That Thou wouldest accept our sorrow and humility,

That Thou wouldest increase faith and reverence in all people,

That Thou wouldest endure all with zeal for Thy honour and glory,

That Thou wouldest incline all hearts to worship and receive Thee worthily,

That Thou wouldest make known to all, Thy love in this Holy Sacrament,

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, good Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O Lord Jesus Christ, Who for our salvation didst endure the outrages of those who crucified Thee, and now endurest the irreverence of those who discern Thee not, rather than withhold Thy Sacred Presence from our Altars; grant us grace to bewail the indignities committed against Thee; and to repair, as far as lies in our power, and with devout love the many dishonours Thou still continuest to receive in this adorable Mystery; Who livest and reignest with the Father in the Unity of the Holy Ghost, God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Litany of the Love of God

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

God, the Father of Heaven,
God, the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God, the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, one God,
Have mercy upon us.

Thou Who art infinite love,
Thou Who didst first love me,
Thou Who commandest me to love Thee,
With all my heart,
With all my soul,
With all my mind,
With all my strength,
Above all possessions and honours,
Above all pleasures and enjoyments,
More than myself, and everything belonging to me,
Above all created things in Heaven or on earth,
Only for Thyself,
Because Thou art the Sovereign Good,
Because Thou art infinitely worthy of being loved,
Because thou art infinitely perfect,
Even hadst Thou not promised me the joys of Heaven,
Even hadst Thou not revealed to me the terrors of hell,
Even shouldst Thou try me by want and misfortune,
In prosperity and in adversity,
In health and in sickness,
I love Thee, O God.

In life and in death,
In time and in eternity,
In union with that love wherewith all the Saints and all the Angels love Thee in Heaven,
In union with that love wherewith the Blessed Virgin Mary loveth Thee,
In union with that infinite love wherewith Thou lovest Thy Father eternally,

I love Thee, O God.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

My God, Who dost possess in incomprehensible abundance all that is perfect and worthy of love, annihilate in me all guilty, sensual, and undue love, so that I may love nothing but Thee until, being entirely consumed of holy love of Thee, I may love Thee eternally with the elect in Heaven, the country of pure love, Who livest and reignest God, world without end. *Amen.*

Litany of Humility

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

God, the Father of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, one God,
O Jesus, meek and humble of heart,

Have mercy upon us.

From the desire of being esteemed,
From the desire of being praised,
From the desire of being honoured,
From the desire of being loved,
From the desire of being sought after,
From the desire of being flattered,
From the desire of being preferred to others,
From the desire of being consulted by others,
From the desire of being humoured,
From the fear of being humbled,
From the fear of repulse,
From the fear of being despised,
From the fear of calumny
From the fear of being forgotten,
From the fear of ridicule,

Deliver us, O Jesus.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, Who, of Thy tender love towards mankind, hast sent Thy Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, to take upon him our flesh, and to suffer death upon the cross, that all mankind should follow the example of His great humility; mercifully grant, that we may both follow the example of His patience, and also be made partakers of His Resurrection; Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of Penitence

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Jesu, Who came to seek and to save that which was lost,
Who didst send John before Thee to preach repentance,
Who didst forgive the many sins of Mary Magdalene,
Who didst promise Paradise to the Penitent Thief,
Who didst no sin, and yet barest our sins on the Tree,
Who wast bruised for our iniquities,
Who givest time and place for repentance,
Who of Thy Goodness leadest us to repentance,
Who after repentance rememberest our sins no more,

Have mercy upon us.

From all evil,
From all sin,
From a sudden, unprepared death,
By Thy Baptism and holy Fast,
By Thy Labours and Sorrows,
By Thy Blood shed for the remission of our sins,
In the day of tribulation and anguish,
In the hour of death and in the day of Judgment,

Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners do beseech Thee to hear us, that it may please Thee to bring us to true repentance,
That condemning ourselves, we may escape Thy condemnation,
That we may bring forth fruit worthy of repentance,
That all bitterness and anger be put away from us,
That we be not desirous of vain-glory,
That we may resist the wiles of the devil,
That we may work out our salvation with fear and trembling,
That being dead to sin, we may live unto righteousness,
That it may please Thee to purge us here, and to spare us in eternity,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O God, Who desirest not the death of a sinner, mercifully look on the weakness of our mortal nature and of Thy great mercy accept our repentance, that through Thy pity we may obtain remission of our sins, steadfastness in Thy service, and finally the reward which Thou hast promised to those that persevere. Through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord. *Amen.*

The Blessing.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, Who for us kept a fast of forty days, give us true repentance, and full Absolution when He cometh. *Amen.*

Litany of Thanksgiving

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven, our Creator,
We praise Thee.
God the Son, our Redeemer,
We bless Thee.
God the Holy Ghost, our Sanctifier,
We adore Thee.
Holy Trinity, One God, our first Beginning and our last End,
We adore Thee.
Holy Trinity, One God, our God and our All,
We give Thee thanks for Thy great glory.

For the revelation of Thyself as our Father,
For the Mission and Incarnation of the Word, for us men and for our salvation,
For the Nativity and Divine Infancy and Hidden Life of Jesus Christ,
For the public Ministry and Doctrine of Jesus, the Way, the Truth, and the Life,
For the Bitter Passion and Life-giving Death of Jesus,
For His glorious Resurrection and wonderful Ascension,
For the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the Day of Pentecost,
For the institution of the Seven Holy Sacraments whereby all men can be saved,
For the abiding Presence of the Holy Spirit in the Holy Catholic Church,
For the Real Presence of Jesus Christ with us in the Blessed Sacrament till the end of time,
For the graces and glory of Mary, the Immaculate Mother of God,
For the creation and glory and service of the Holy Angels in nine-fold hierarchy,
For the patience and love of the Holy Souls in Purgatory,
For all Thy graces in the supernatural and natural order bestowed on us through and in Jesus Christ, our Lord, the Holy Ghost working them in us,

We thank Thee, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

We beseech Thee, loving Father, to pour into our hearts the grace of an abounding gratitude, that we may ever praise and glorify Thee for the goodness and mercy that have followed us all the days of our life. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany for the Sick and Dying

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Who didst form man after Thine own image and likeness,
Who didst breathe into man the breath of life,
Who wast sent to heal the broken hearted,
Who didst Thyself take our infirmities,
Who dost wipe away all tears from the eyes of Thine elect,
Who makest sore, and bindest up,
Who woundest and makest whole,
Who comfortest us in all our tribulations,
O Lord, Father of mercies, and God of all comfort,
The Faithful God, Who shall come to judge the quick and the dead,

Have mercy upon us,

Be merciful.
Spare us, O Lord.
Be merciful.
Hear us, O Lord.

From the pains of sickness,
From an unprepared and evil death,
By the pain of Thy Circumcision,
By Thine Agony in the garden,
By the anguish of Thy Heart upon the Cross,
By the sword of grief which pierced the heart of Thy Blessed Mother,
Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, That we may be patient under our sufferings,
That Christ may be magnified in us, by life or by death,
That we may be ready to depart, and to be with Christ,
That Thou wouldest make all our bed in our sickness,
That we may live unto the Lord, and die unto the Lord,
That when our earthly tabernacle is dissolved, we may have a house eternal in the Heavens.
We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O Blessed Lord God, enable us to fulfill Thy commands, and command what Thou wilt; prepare our souls for Thy coming, and come when Thou wilt; that ever living with a resigned will and contrite heart, we may be meet for Thy glory; through Jesus Christ Thy Son our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany for a Good Death

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,

God, the Father of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, one God,
} *Have mercy upon us.*

Jesus, Who didst begin Thy Passion in sadness, fear and anxiety,
Jesus, Who covered by the bloody sweat, didst resign Thyself to the will of Thy divine Father,
Jesus, betrayed by Judas with a kiss,
Jesus, abandoned by Thy disciples,
Jesus, led before Annas and Caiaphas and falsely accused,
Jesus, cruelly struck and maltreated,
Jesus, delivered bound into Pilate's hands,
Jesus, clad in mockery and derision,
Jesus, bound naked to a pillar, and cruelly scourged,
Jesus, crowned with thorns,
Jesus, clothed with a purple garment,
Jesus, condemned to death,
} *Save me at my last hour.*

Jesus, laden with the Cross and the burden of our sins,
Jesus, fainting under the weight of the Cross,
Jesus, despoiled of Thy garments on Mount Calvary, and nailed to the Cross,
Jesus, crucified between two criminals,
Jesus, Whose burning thirst was assuaged by gall and vinegar,
Jesus, Who, inclining Thy head, gave up the ghost,
Jesus, Whose Heart was pierced with a spear,

Save me at my last hour.

From temptation and despair,
From the chains of sin, and everlasting death,
From the snares of the devil,
From the qualms of conscience,
From all anxiety, and despair,
From the guilt of sin,
From the divine wrath,
From the death of the sinner,

Deliver me, at the hour of my death.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O Jesus, Who by Thy Cross, didst conquer hell and death, I beseech Thee, to have mercy on my

soul, redeemed by Thy Precious Blood; leave me not until victorious over death and hell, I have breathed out my spirit into Thy Hands, who livest and reignest God, world without end. *Amen.*

Litany for the Faithful Departed

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
Have mercy upon Thy Servants.

From all evil,
From Thy wrath,
From the strictness of Thy Justice,
From the gnawing worm of conscience,
From weeping and gnashing of teeth,
From eternal anguish,
By Thine Incarnation,
By Thy holy Birth and Thy sweetest Name,
By Thy Baptism and holy Fasting,
By Thy Humility and Obedience,
By Thy Poverty and Meekness,
By Thy Love and Compassion,
By Thy Pains and Anguish,
By Thy Bloody Sweat,
By Thy Scourging,
By Thy Crowning with Thorns,
By Thy Cross and Passion,
By Thy Sacred Wounds,
By Thy Bitter Death,
By Thy glorious Resurrection,
By Thy wonderful Ascension,
By the Coming of the Holy Ghost,
In the Day of Judgment,
Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us,
Who didst pardon Mary Magdalene,
Who didst hear the prayer of the publican,
Who hast the keys of death and hell,
That Thou wouldest deliver the Faithful Departed from all the penalties of sin,
That Thou wouldest refresh and enlighten the souls of our parents, relations, and benefactors,
That Thou wouldest have mercy on the souls who are forgotten on earth,
That Thou wouldest cleanse them, and be gracious to them all,
That Thou wouldest fulfill their desires
That Thou wouldest bring them into the company of the Blessed,
King of tremendous Majesty,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Grant them rest.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Grant them eternal rest.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon them.

Let us pray.

We beseech Thee, O Lord, grant perpetual light to the souls of Thy servants that their faith and hope in Thee may avail to their eternal salvation; through the merits of Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost throughout all ages. *Amen.*

Litany of the Saints

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,
O Christ, hear us.
O Christ, graciously hear us.

O God, the Father of Heaven,
O God, the Son Redeemer of the world,
O God, the Holy Ghost,
O Holy Trinity, one God,
} *Have mercy upon us.*

Holy Mary,
Holy Mother of God,
Holy Virgin of virgins,
St. Michael,
St. Gabriel,
St. Raphael,
All ye holy angels and archangels,
All ye holy orders of blessed spirits,
St. John Baptist,
St. Joseph,
All ye holy Patriarchs and Prophets,
St. Peter,
St. Paul,
St. Andrew,
St. James,
St. John,
St. Thomas,
St. James,
St. Philip,
St. Bartholomew,
St. Matthew,
St. Simon,
St. Thaddeus,
St. Matthias,
St. Barnabas,
} *Pray for us.*

St. Luke,
St. Mark,
All ye Holy Apostles and Evangelists,
All ye holy disciples of the Lord,
All ye holy Innocents,
St. Stephen,
St. Lawrence,
St. Vincent,
St. Fabian and Sebastian,
St. John and St. Paul,
St. Cosmas and St. Damian,
St. Gervase and St. Protase,
All ye holy Martyrs,
St. Sylvester,
St. Gregory,
St. Ambrose,
St. Augustine,
St. Jerome,
St. Martin,
St. Nicholas,
All ye holy Bishops and Confessors,
All ye holy Doctors,
St. Anthony,
St. Benedict,
St. Bernard,
St. Dominic,
St. Francis,
All ye holy Priests and Levites,
All ye holy Monks and Hermits,
St. Mary Magdalene,
St. Agatha,
St. Lucy,
St. Agnes,
St. Cecilia,
St. Katharine,
St. Anastasia,
All ye holy Virgins and Widows,
All ye holy servants and handsmaids of God,

Pray for us.

Make intercession for us.

Be favourable,
Spare us, O Lord.
Be favourable,
Graciously hear us, O Lord.

From all evil,
From all sin,
From Thy wrath,
From a sudden and unprepared death,
From the snares of the devil,
From anger and hatred and all evil will,
From the spirit of fornication,
From lightning and tempest,
From the scourge of earthquake,
From pestilence, famine and war,
From everlasting death,
By the mystery of Thy holy Incarnation,
By Thine Advent,
By Thy Nativity,
By Thy Baptism and Holy Fasting,
By Thy Cross and Passion,
By Thy Death and Burial,
By Thy wonderful Ascension,
By the coming of the Holy Ghost the Comforter,
In the day of Judgment,
O Lord deliver us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, That it may please Thee to spare us,
That it may please Thee to pardon us,
That it may please Thee to bring us to true repentance,
That it may please Thee to govern and preserve Thy holy Church,
That it may please Thee to keep the Bishops and all orders of the Church in holy Religion,
We beseech Thee to hear us.

That it may please Thee to humble the enemies of holy Church,
That it may please Thee to give true peace and concord to Christian kings and princes,
That it may please Thee to grant peace and unity to all Christian people,
That it may please Thee to strengthen and preserve us in Thy holy service,
That it may please Thee to lift our minds to heavenly desires,
That it may please Thee to reward with eternal blessings all our benefactors,
That it may please Thee to deliver our souls and the souls of our brethren, kinsfolk, and benefactors from everlasting damnation,
That it may please Thee to give and preserve to our use the fruits of the earth,
That it may please Thee to grant eternal rest to all the Faithful Departed,
That it may please Thee graciously to hear us, Son of God,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Graciously hear us, O Lord.

O Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

O Christ, hear us.

O Christ, graciously hear us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Our Father
Haste Thee, O God, to deliver me.
Make haste to help me, O Lord.
Let them be ashamed and confounded that seek after my soul.
Let them be turned backward and put to confusion that wish me evil.
Let them for their reward be soon brought to shame.
That cry over me, There, there.
But let all those that seek Thee be joyful and glad in Thee.
And let all such as delight in Thy salvation say alway, the Lord be praised.
As for me, I am poor and in misery.
Haste Thee unto me, O God.
Thou art my helper and my Redeemer.
O Lord, make no long tarrying.
Glory be to the Father, etc.
As it was, etc.
My God, save Thy servants.
Who put their trust in Thee.
Be unto us, O Lord, a strong tower.
From the face of the enemy.
Let the enemy have no advantage of us,
Nor the son of wickedness approach to hurt us.
O Lord, deal not with us after our sins,
Neither reward us after our iniquities.
Let us pray for N. our Primate.
The Lord preserve him and keep him alive, and make him blessed upon the earth, and deliver him not into the will of his enemies.

Let us pray for our benefactors,

Vouchsafe, O Lord, for Thy Name's sake, to reward with eternal life all them that do us good. Amen.

Let us pray for the Faithful Departed:

Grant them, O Lord, eternal rest: and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace.

Amen.

For our absent brethren,

My God, save Thy servants, who put their trust in Thee.

Send them help, O Lord, from the sanctuary,

And strengthen them out of Sion.

O Lord, hear my prayer.

And let my cry come unto Thee.

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

O God, whose nature and property is ever to have mercy and to forgive: receive our humble petitions; and though we be tied and bound with the chain of our sins; yet let the pitifulness of Thy great mercy loose us.

O Lord, we beseech Thee mercifully hear our prayers, and spare all those who confess their sins unto Thee; that Thou wouldest of Thy goodness bestow upon us both pardon and peace.

Show us, O Lord, in Thy clemency, Thine unspeakable mercy: that Thou mayest both set us free from our sins and rescue us from the punishments which by our sins we have deserved.

O God, Who are offended by sin and reconciled by penitence: mercifully regard the prayers of Thy people which call upon Thee; and turn away

the scourges of Thy wrath, which for our sins we justly have deserved.

Almighty and Everlasting God, have mercy upon Thy servant, N. our Bishop, and after Thy great goodness direct him into the way of everlasting salvation: that by Thy grace he may desire those things that are well pleasing to Thee, and with all his strength perform the same.

O God, from Whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed; give unto Thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that both our hearts may be set to obey Thy commandments, and also that by Thee we being defended from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and quietness.

Inflame, O Lord, our reins and our heart with the fire of the Holy Ghost: that we may serve Thee with a chaste body and please Thee with a clean heart.

O God, the Creator and Redeemer of all them that believe, grant unto the souls of Thy servants and handmaids the remission of all their sins: that through devout supplications they may obtain the pardon they have always desired.

Prevent us, O Lord, we beseech Thee, in all our doings with Thy most gracious favour, and further us with Thy continual help: that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in Thee, we may glorify Thy holy Name, and finally by Thy mercy, obtain everlasting life.

Almighty, and everlasting God, Who art the Lord both of the quick and the dead, and hast mercy upon all whom Thou foreknowest will be Thine in faith and works: we humbly beseech Thee: that they for whom we have purposed to pour forth our prayers, both those whom this present world still holdeth in the flesh, and those whom

the world to come hath already received set free from the body, may at the intercession of all Thy Saints, obtain pardon of all their sins by the pitifulness of Thy great goodness. Through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee, in the Unity of the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

The Lord be with you,
And with thy spirit,
O Lord, hear my prayer,
And let my cry come unto Thee.

The Almighty and merciful Lord graciously hear us. *Amen.*

And may the souls of the Faithful, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. *Amen.*

Litany of the Blessed Virgin

We fly to thy patronage, O holy Mother of God. Despise not our petitions and our necessities; but deliver us from all dangers, O ever glorious and blessed Virgin.

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.
God the Father of Heaven,
Have mercy upon us.
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
Have mercy upon us.
God the Holy Ghost,
Have mercy upon us.
Holy Trinity, One God,
Have mercy upon us.

Holy Mary,
Holy Mother of God,
Holy Virgin of virgins,
Mother of Christ,
Mother of divine Grace,
Mother most pure,
Mother most chaste,
Mother inviolate,
Mother undefiled,
Mother most amiable,
Mother most admirable,
Mother of our Creator,
Mother of our Saviour,
Virgin most prudent,
Virgin most venerable,
Virgin most renowned,
Virgin most powerful,
Virgin most merciful,
Virgin most faithful,
Mirror of Justice,
Seat of wisdom,
Cause of our joy,
Spiritual vessel,
Vessel of honour,
Singular vessel of devotion,
Mystical Rose,
Tower of David,
Tower of ivory,
House of gold,
Ark of the covenant,
Gate of heaven,
Morning star,
Health of the sick,
Refuge of sinners,
Comforter of the afflicted,
Help of Christians,

Pray for us.

Queen of Angels,
Queen of Patriarchs,
Queen of Prophets,
Queen of Apostles,
Queen of Martyrs,
Queen of Confessors,
Queen of Virgins,
Queen of all Saints,
Queen conceived without sin,
Queen of the most holy Rosary,
Queen of Peace,

Pray for us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Have mercy upon us.

Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray.

We beseech Thee, O Lord, pour Thy grace into our hearts; that as we have known the Incarnation of Thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an Angel, so, by His Cross and Passion, we may be brought unto the glory of His resurrection; through the same Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of our Lady of Sorrows

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, hear us.
Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, One God,
} *Have mercy upon us.*

Holy Mary,
Holy Mother of God,
Holy Virgin of virgins,
Mother, most sorrowful,
Mother, most tearful,
Mother, afflicted,
Mother, forsaken,
Mother, bereft of Thy Child,
Mother, pierced with the sword,
Mother, consumed with grief,
Mother, filled with anguish,
Mirror of patience,
Rock of constancy,
Anchor of confidence,
Refuge of the forsaken,
Shield of the oppressed,
Solace of the afflicted,
Harbour of the shipwrecked,
Treasure of the faithful,
Theme of Prophets,
Staff of Apostles,
Queen of Martyrs,
Light of Confessors,
Queen of Virgins,
Consolation of Widows,
Joy of all Saints,
} *Pray for us.*

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

Imprint, O Lord, thy wounds upon our hearts, that we may read therein sorrow and love: sorrow to endure all suffering for Thee; love to despise all love but Thine. *Amen.*

Litany of St. Joseph

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,

God, the Father of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, one God,
} *Have mercy upon us.*

Holy Mary, Spouse of Joseph,
Holy Joseph, Spouse of the Virgin Mary,
Foster-father of Jesus,
Man after God's own heart,
Model of industry, consecrating the labour of thy hands to God,
Guardian of the virginity of Mary,
Companion and solace of Mary,
St. Joseph, declared a just man by the Holy Ghost,
} *Pray for us.*

Taught from above the mystery of the Incarnate Word,
Journeying to Bethlehem with Mary, thy Spouse,
Bearing in thine arms the Son of God,
Fleeing at the warning of the Angel into Egypt with the young Child and his Mother,
Who, sorrowing, sought the Child Jesus, and found Him in the temple,
To whom the Lord of lords was subject on earth,
Who was the happy witness of his hidden life,
Who died in the arms of Jesus and Mary,
Whose praise is in the Gospel,
In all our necessities,
In all our distresses,
In the hour of death,
In the day of Judgment,

Pray for us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord, that Thou wouldest vouchsafe to pardon our sins,
That Thou wouldest teach us to follow Thy Saints in all godly living,
That Thou wouldest bestow the chastity of the Religious State on those whom Thou dost call,
That Thou wouldest bless all those who live in the holy bonds of matrimony,
That Thou wouldest direct all parents in the Christian education of their children,
That Thou wouldest support us in the hour of our death,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,

Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Let us pray.

O God, who didst choose St. Joseph to be the spouse of Blessed Mary, ever Virgin, and the guardian and foster-father of Thine Incarnate Son, we humbly beseech Thee to grant us, through his patronage and merits, such purity of mind and body, that, being cleansed from every sin, and clothed with the true marriage garment, we may, by Thy great mercy, be admitted to the heavenly nuptials. Through the same Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Litany of the Holy Angels

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,

God the Father, of Heaven,
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, one God,
O God, Who by the Archangel Michael didst overthrow the rebel angels,
Who by the Archangel Gabriel didst foretell the birth of St. John the Baptist,
Who by the Archangel Gabriel didst announce to Mary the Incarnation of God,
Who by Angels and Archangels art ever worshipped in Heaven,
Have mercy upon us.

O ye Angels of God, Guardians of His people Israel,
Announcing the Birth of Jesus,
Ministering to Jesus in the wilderness,
Strengthening Jesus in His Agony,
Appearing at His Resurrection,
Comforting the Disciples at the Ascension,
Ministering to the heirs of Salvation,
Rejoicing over the sinner that repents,
O ye Angels of God, protecting us with ceaseless care,

Pray for us.

From all dangers,
From the snares of the devil,
From storm and tempest,
From plague, famine, and war,
From heresy and schism,
From sudden and unlooked-for death,
From everlasting death,

Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners beseech Thee to hear us, That Thou wouldest govern and preserve Thy Holy Church,
That Thou wouldest protect our Bishops and all Ecclesiastical Orders,
That Thou wouldest grant peace to all Christian people,
That Thou wouldest give and preserve to us the fruits of the earth,
That Thou wouldest grant eternal rest to the Faithful Departed,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.
O praise the Lord, ye Angels of His.
Ye that excel in strength, ye that fulfill His commandments, and hearken unto His words.
He hath given His Angels charge concerning thee,
To keep thee in all thy ways.

Let us pray.

O Lord our God, Who orderest all things in Heaven and earth, we beseech Thee, look upon us, toiling in this sinful world, and mercifully vouchsafe to refresh us by the protection and ministry of Thy Holy Angels, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Litany of the Holy Guardian Angel

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,

God the Father of Heaven,
God, the Son, Redeemer of the world,
God the Holy Ghost,
Holy Trinity, one God.
Have mercy upon me.

Holy Mary, Queen of Angels,
Holy Angel, my guardian,
Holy Angel, my prince,
Holy Angel, my monitor,
Holy Angel, my counsellor,
Holy Angel, my defender,
Holy Angel, my steward,
Holy Angel, my friend,
Pray for me.

Holy Angel, my intercessor,
Holy Angel, my patron,
Holy Angel, my director,
Holy Angel, my comforter,
Holy Angel, my brother,
Holy Angel, my teacher,
Holy Angel, my shepherd,
Holy Angel, my witness,
Holy Angel, my helper,
Holy Angel, my preserver,
Holy Angel, my instructor,
Holy Angel, my enlightener,
Holy Angel, my dear companion,
} *Pray for me.*

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Spare us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Hear us, O Lord.
Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy on us.
Pray for us, O holy Angel Guardians,
That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray.

Almighty, everlasting God, who, in the counsel of Thy ineffable goodness hast appointed to all the faithful, a special Angel Guardian: grant that I may so love and honour him whom Thou hast mercifully given me, that, protected by the bounty of Thy grace and by his assistance, I may merit to behold the glory of Thy countenance in the heavenly Kingdom. Who livest and reignest, world world without end. *Amen.*

Litany for Missions

Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us,

Our Father.

O Saviour of the world, Who by Thy Cross and Precious Blood hast redeemed us.
Save us and help us we humbly beseech Thee, O Lord.

We beseech Thee, O Lord, that it may please Thee to add the heathen to Thine inheritance,
To awaken a zeal for missions in the hearts of Thy people,
To send forth labourers into Thy harvest,
To make the cause of missions more widely known and understood,
To bless the missions in all American possessions,
To bless the work among the Colored People in the United States,
To bless the work among the American Indians,
To bless the work in China, Africa and Japan,
To bless our missionaries at home and abroad,
To enlighten and strengthen all converts, catechumens and inquirers,
To prosper the educational work, that obstacles to the establishment of Church schools may be removed,
To enable the religious Orders to extend their work in foreign mission fields,
To aid and increase Medical missions,

We beseech Thee to hear us.

We adore Thee O Christ and we bless Thee,
Because by Thy Holy Cross, Thou hast redeemed the world.

Let us pray.

O God, Who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off and to them that are nigh; grant that all men everywhere may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold, and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*